

Six-Year Graduation Rates

Fall 2005 Cohort of First-Time, Full-Time, Bachelor's Degree-Seeking Students at Ohio's
4-year Public Universities

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Average ACT Score of Incoming Class	Institution	2005 Cohort	Bachelor's Degree Rate			Earned Associate Degree from an Ohio Public Institution	Still Enrolled in an Ohio Public Institution	Total Graduation or Retention Rate
			Same Institution	Different Ohio Public Institution	Total			
Over 24	Miami University	3,162	81%	4%	85%	0%	2%	88%
	Ohio State University	5,940	80%	2%	81%	1%	5%	88%
Between 22.5 and 24	University of Cincinnati	3,114	59%	3%	62%	2%	10%	75%
	Ohio University	4,077	65%	9%	74%	2%	7%	83%
Between 21 and 22.49	Bowling Green State University	3,585	58%	5%	63%	2%	9%	75%
	Kent State University	3,739	49%	6%	55%	3%	12%	70%
	University of Toledo	3,088	46%	5%	52%	3%	13%	69%
Less than 21	University of Akron	2,842	38%	3%	41%	4%	16%	61%
	Cleveland State University	955	30%	5%	34%	3%	17%	54%
	Central State University	344	23%	1%	24%	0%	20%	45%
	Shawnee State University	551	22%	2%	24%	11%	12%	47%
	Wright State University	2,292	40%	5%	45%	3%	16%	64%
	Youngstown State University	1,805	35%	3%	38%	2%	20%	60%
Statewide Total		35,494	57%	4%	61%	2%	10%	74%

Definitions

GROUPS	
First-time, Full-time Bachelor's Degree-seeking Cohort	The Students in this cohort must fulfill three criteria: 1)the students must be first-time ever in college in the fall 2005 term, enrolled in 12 or more hours in the fall 2005 term, and must be seeking a bachelor's degree. The cohort may include students whose first term of enrollment is summer 2005, if they continue their enrollment in fall 2005. For public institutions, the cohort data are taken from the Cohort Tracking (CT) files submitted to the Ohio Board of Regents. For private institutions, the cohort data are taken from Graduation Rate Surveys as submitted to IPEDS.
OUTCOMES	
Bachelor's Degree Rate: Same Institution (Public Institutions)	Student has earned a bachelor's degree within 6 years or less at the same institution as reported in the CT (Cohort Tracking) file. This will match the graduation rate as reported in the IPEDS Graduation Rate Survey. This "same institution" rate is comparable to the rates reported for private institutions.
Bachelor's Degree Rate: Same Institution (Private Institutions)	Student has earned a bachelor's degree within 6 years or less at the same institution as reported in the IPEDS Graduation Rate Survey. This "IPEDS rate" rate is comparable to the "same institution" rates reported for public institutions.
Bachelor's Degree Rate: Different Ohio Public Institution	Reported for public institutions. Student has earned a bachelor's degree within 6 years or less at another Ohio public institution. The additional "transfer graduate" data is obtained from Degree Completion (DC) files submitted to the Ohio Board of Regents. Students that have transferred from a public school to a private school will not be captured in this field.
Earned an Associate's Degree from Ohio Public Institution	Reported for public institutions. Originally bachelor's degree-seeking, the student has earned an associate degree from any Ohio public institution within six years.
Still Enrolled in Ohio Public Institution	Reported for public institutions. A student who has not graduated and is still enrolled in an Ohio public institution in any term of the sixth year. These students are included in the calculation of "Total Graduation or Retention Rate".